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Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Roberto Gemello et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2626  
Application No. 10/538,876 ) Examiner: Yen, Eric L.  
Filed: June 14, 2005 ) Confirmation No. 8785  
For: METHOD OF OPTIMISING THE )  
EXECUTION OF A NEURAL )  
NETWORK IN A SPEECH )  
RECOGNITION SYSTEM THROUGH )  
CONDITIONALLY SKIPPING A )  
VARIABLE NUMBER OF FRAMES )

**MAILSTOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed February 12, 2009, with a period for response extending through May 12, 2009. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.